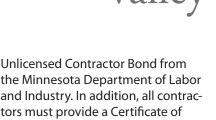
## I/I Compliance Inspections: Choosing A Repair Method

Based on the conditions at your home (landscaping, retaining walls, and the cost to repair the street), you will need to decide whether it is more cost effective to repair your sewer service by having a contractor dig an open trench or use an approved alternative method. While some homeowners prefer sewer lining as an alternative to open trench, the City provides no

assurances for choosing one method over the other.

Plumbing contractors may obtain a sewer permit from the City if they hold a Minnesota Master Plumber License and a \$25,000 State Bond from the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry, or if they hold a Pipelayer's Card and a \$25,000



Unlicensed Contractor Bond from the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry. In addition, all contractors must provide a Certificate of Insurance showing evidence of liability insurance and worker's compensation coverage (if there are employees). The City's Inspections Department has a list (many pages long) of contractors who have met these criteria.

## Alternative Repair Methods

If the City approves use of an alternative sewer repair method, the following contractors have been certified by the materials manufacturers to do sewer lining and have submitted the appropriate documentation to the City:

- Benjamin Franklin Plumbing (this location only)
   763-755-6468
   1424 3rd Street N
   Minneapolis, MN 55411-2730
- Cichy's Water & Sewer
   Tim Cichy, 612-722-2770
   5220 Ambassador Blvd NW
   St Francis, MN 55070
   Fax: 612-722-1970
- Ellingson Companies
   507-251-4372
   56113 State Hwy 56
   New Concord, MN 55985
   Fax: 507-527-2296
- Gene's Water & Sewer
   Craig Peterson, 612-781-3737

   3134 California St NE
   Minneapolis, MN 55418

   Fax: 612-781-3513
   craig@geneswaterandsewer.com

- Grant Utilities Grant Engen, 651-793-5251 553 Como Ave
  - St. Paul, MN 55103 Fax: 651-793-5257
- Highview Plumbing
   Dan Swanson, 952-933-8600

   4301 Highview Place
   Minnetonka, MN 55345

   Fax: 952-933-8600
   Highplmg@aol.com
- M and B Services LLC
   Mike Boston, 612-710-8892
   25817 Goldfinch Avenue
   Wyoming, MN 55092
   bostonm@frontier.com
- Minneapolis & Suburban
   Sewer & Water, Inc
   Richard Spetz/Kevin Hoyhtya,
   612-861-6076
   3233 45th Ave S
   Minneapolis, MN 55406
   postoffice@minneapolisandsuburbansewerandwater.com

- Ouverson Sewer & Water, Inc Troy Ouverson, 612-751-6888 PO Box 247, Loretto, MN 55357 Fax: 763-478-9589 troyo@linemysewer.com
- Precision Lining & Sewer 1735 Wood Duck Lane NE Owatonna, MN 55060 Chris Rilling, 507-676-4775 Fax: 507-413-0134 chris@precisionlining.net
- Roto Rooter
   Angie or Dave, 763-519-3907
   14530 27th Ave N
   Plymouth, MN 55447

This list may change. The City does not endorse or recommend these or any contractors, but since not all contractors are certified to do alternative repairs, the City provides this list as a service to you.



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